
APRIL 15, 1806.

Read the first and second time, and committed to the committee of the whole House,
to-morrow.

A Bill,

Repealing the acts laying duties on salt, and continuing in force, for a further time, the first section of the act, entitled, "An act further to protect the commerce and seamen of the United States, against the Barbary powers."



1 *BE it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the*
2 *United States of America, in congress assembled,* That from and after
3 the day of next, so much of any act, or acts,
4 as lays a duty on imported salt be, and the same hereby is repealed,
5 and from and after the day aforesaid, salt shall be imported into the
6 United States free of duty.

1 Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That from and after the first
2 day of January next, so much of any act, or acts, as allows a
3 bounty on exported salted provisions, and pickled fish, in lieu of
4 drawback of the duties on the salt employed in curing the same, and
5 so much of any act, or acts, as makes an allowance to the owners

6 and crews of fishing vessels, in lieu of drawback of the duties paid
7 on the salt used by the same, shall be, and the same hereby is
8 repealed.

1 Sec. 1. *And be it further enacted*, That so much of the act,
2 passed on the 25th day of March, 1804, intituled an act further to
3 protect the commerce and seamen of the United States against the
4 Barbary powers, as is contained in the first section of the said act,
5 be, and the same hereby is continued in force until the end of the
6 next session of congress, and no longer.